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IN RE APPLICATION OF

YUKARI TAKATA : EXAMINER: RYAN M. STIGLIC

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FOR: ARBITRATION CIRCUIT AND

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.181

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Applicants herein petition the Commissioner to invoke his supervisory authority to require the Examiner to consider the references cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on June 23, 2002.

As a courtesy to the Examiner, a copy of the June 23, 2002 filing is provided herewith.

Although Applicants do not believe that any fee is required for the present petition, any required fee should be charged the undersigned attorneys account no. 15-0030.

Respectfully submitted,

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